

1. Name of Experiment/Project/Collaboration:  
CERN prototype and beam test/ LBNX
2. Physics Goals
  - a. Primary: calibrate single-phase LAr detector in charged particle beam and measure systematic uncertainties
  - b. Secondary: perform event reconstruction on experimental data and evaluate accuracy of LAr detector Monte Carlo; study detector performance and design
3. Expected location of the experiment/project: CERN EHN1
4. Neutrino source: none; charged particles from beam
5. Primary detector technology: single phase LAr TPC and photon detectors
6. Short description of the detector:
  - Multiple full scale TPC modules of LBNE style design (wrapped wires) to be installed in corrugated membrane cryostat.
  - Cryostat will have beam window to inject charged particles of various types in the energy range from 0.2 GeV to several GeV
7. List key publications and/or archive entries describing the project/experiment.  
Detector represents a full scale prototype detector for a single phase LAr of LBNE style. No documents exist as of yet but LBNE detector is described in arXiv: 1307.7335 .
8. Collaboration
  - a. Institution list  
Author list of the EOI to CERN SPSC is attached
  - b. Number of present collaborators  
No. of EOI authors: 186
  - c. Number of collaborators needed.  
More collaborators are welcome.
9. R&D
  - a. List the topics that will be investigated and that have been completed
    - Study single-phase LAr detector in response to charged particle beam with energies relevant for long-baseline neutrino physics and atmospheric neutrino physics.
    - Study performance of full scale detector components for future long-baseline neutrino physics using single phase LAr technology.
  - b. Which of these are crucial to the experiment.  
All immediately apply to the LBNX experiment as this serves as a prototype detector.
  - c. Time line
    - o June 2015: Submit technical proposal to CERN SPSC:
    - o Now – 2016: engineer, build and test components
    - o Q1 – Q2, 2017: ship components to CERN, install and commission
    - o Q3 2017 – Q1 2018: beam data runs
  - d. Benefit to future projects

Serves as full scale prototype of LBNE style single phase LAr detector.

10. Primary physics goal expected results/sensitivity:

This prototype serves to study detector physics and to verify the accuracy of Monte Carlo simulations of detector processes.

- a. For exclusion limit (such as sterile neutrino search), show 3-sigma and 5-sigma limits
- b. For discovery potential (such as the Mass Hierarchy), show 3-sigma and 5-sigma.
- c. For sensitivity plots, show 3-sigma and 5-sigma sensitivities  
(note that for neutrino-less double beta decay experiments that have previously been asked for 90% CL and 5 sigma limits these are OK)
- d. List the sources of systematic uncertainties included in the above, their magnitudes and the basis for these estimates.
- e. List other experiments that have similar physics goals  
Charged particle test beam: LArIAT phase I (and II)
- f. Synergies with other experiments.  
Allows direct and quantitative comparison with WA105 dual phase LAr detector measurements in same/similar beam tests and thereby will help to identify most advantageous far detector design for LBNX.

11. Secondary Physics Goal

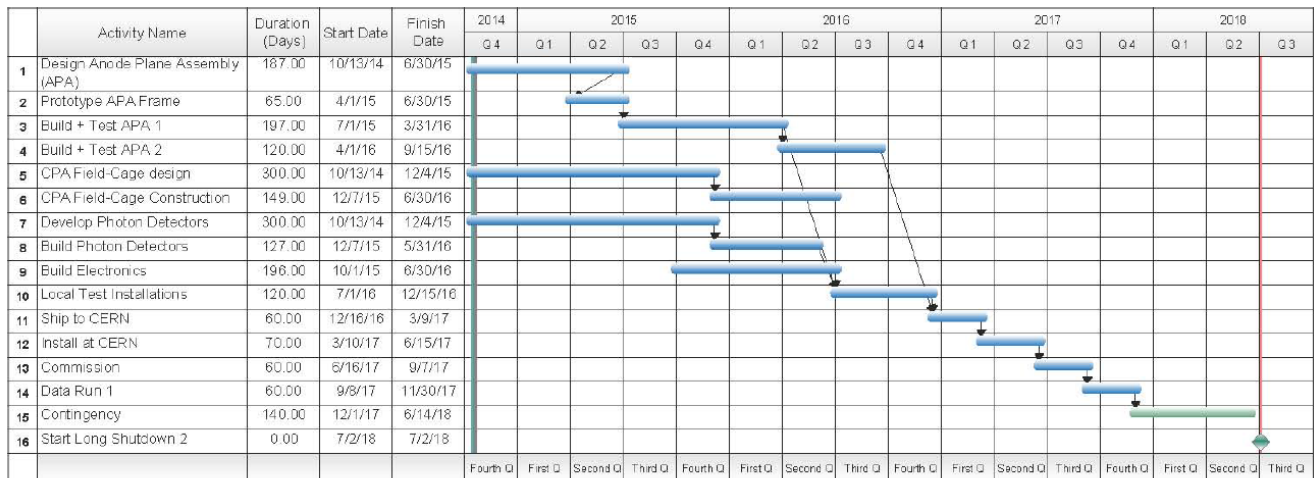
- a. Expected results/sensitivity
- b. List other experiments that have similar physics goals

12. Experimental requirements

- a. Provide requirements (neutrino source, intensity, running time, location, space,...) for each physics goal  
- muon, electron, and hadron beam from 0.2 GeV to several GeV with well known particle type and momentum (e.g. at the few percent level or better)

13. Expected Experiment/Project time line

- a. Design and development
- b. Construction and Installation
- c. First data
- d. End of data taking
- e. Final results



Likely further data runs are anticipated after the CERN long shutdown. A measurement program is being developed.

#### 14. Estimated cost range

- a. US contribution to the experiment/project  
Project funds \$10 – 15 M
- b. International contribution to the experiment/project  
TBD
- c. Operations cost  
TBD

#### 15. The Future

- a. Possible detector upgrades and their motivation.
- b. Potential avenues this project could open up.  
Detailed studies of single phase LAr detector performance in well controlled environment.